

ABSTRACT

Fastening Element, in Particular for Blind Riveting

The invention describes a fastening element (1), in particular for blind riveting, having a sethead (4), a deformation segment (2) and a shank end (3), the deformation segment (2) being arranged between the sethead (4) and the shank end (3), and the fastening element (1) being hollow inside, optionally with a mandrel (7) inside the fastening element (1), comprising a mandrel head (23) and a mandrel foot (24) tension-resistently connected at least to the shank end (3). The shank end (3) is provided with a punch edge (6) extending essentially along the outermost periphery of the shank end (3) and formed by a peripheral surface (26) and a face (25) of the shank end (3). In the center of the face (25), a projection is provided, protruding from the plane in which the punch edge (6) lies on the side away from the sethead (4). The projection may be formed by a conical or pyramidal surface.

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